

Comparisons of Job Characteristics

Focus Occupation: [Fabric and Apparel Patternmakers \(51-6092\)](#)

Associated Occupation: [Fashion Designers \(27-1022\)](#)

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<<	Focus occupation element is much lower
<	Focus occupation element is lower
0	Focus occupation element is at a similar level
>	Focus occupation element is at a higher level
>>	Focus occupation element is at a much higher level

Knowledge

Similarity of Focus Occupation to Associated Occupation: 81

Focus Occupation: Fabric and Apparel Patternmakers (51-6092)

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Associated Occupation's Key Knowledge Elements	Average Rating, All Occupations	Associated Occupation's Rating	Focus Occupation's Rating		Evaluation of Focus Occupation
Design	5.2	12.1	12.9	0	Current knowledge level may be sufficient
Production and Processing	6.0	9.1	9.3	0	Current knowledge level may be sufficient
Sales and Marketing	5.2	8.4	2.6	<<	Extensive education and/or training may be required
Fine Arts	2.2	6.5	1.5	<<	Extensive education and/or training may be required

The maximum possible rating is 25.

Source: Alaska Department of Labor and Workforce Development, Research and Analysis Section analysis of O*NET (Occupation Information Network) data.

Skills

Similarity of Focus Occupation to Associated Occupation: 68

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Associated Occupation's Key Skills Elements	Average Rating, All Occupations	Associated Occupation's Rating	Focus Occupation's Rating		Evaluation of Focus Occupation
Coordination	9.1	12.6	8.5	<<	Extensive development of skills in this area may be required
Social Perceptiveness	9.1	12.6	7.7	<<	Extensive development of skills in this area may be required
Time Management	8.9	12.5	10.0	<	A higher skill level may be required
Persuasion	7.4	11.2	6.2	<<	Extensive development of skills in this area may be required
Negotiation	6.8	11.0	6.6	<<	Extensive development of skills in this area may be required
Management of Personnel Resources	6.9	10.8	5.7	<<	Extensive development of skills in this area may be required
Operations Analysis	5.0	10.2	9.1	<	A higher skill level may be required

Management of Financial Resources	3.3	7.6	2.9	<<	Extensive development of skills in this area may be required
Management of Material Resources	3.7	7.1	4.2	<<	Extensive development of skills in this area may be required

The maximum possible rating is 25.

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Abilities	Similarity of Focus Occupation to Associated Occupation: 87
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Associated Occupation's Key Abilities Elements	Average Rating, All Occupations	Associated Occupation's Rating	Focus Occupation's Rating	Evaluation of Focus Occupation	
Originality	7.6	14.5	12.3	<	Some improvement in abilities may be required
Oral Expression	12.4	14.0	11.8	<	Some improvement in abilities may be required
Oral Comprehension	12.5	13.6	11.2	<	Some improvement in abilities may be required
Fluency of Ideas	7.6	12.9	10.7	<	Some improvement in abilities may be required
Written Comprehension	11.0	12.9	10.6	<	Some improvement in abilities may be required
Deductive Reasoning	10.6	12.3	10.8	<	Some improvement in abilities may be required
Inductive Reasoning	10.2	11.8	9.8	<	Some improvement in abilities may be required
Visualization	7.5	11.5	15.0	>>	Current ability level is likely more than sufficient
Category Flexibility	9.0	11.1	11.0	0	Current ability level may be sufficient
Visual Color Discrimination	6.4	9.6	9.2	0	Current ability level may be sufficient

The maximum possible rating is 25.

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Activities that Both Occupations Have in Common	Similarity of Focus Occupation to Associated Occupation: 67
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Work Activities	Exclusivity of Activity
Cut or trim fabric or leather	77
Use portable electric fabric cutter	81

Not all positions in these occupations will necessarily perform all of the listed activities. The exclusivity rating is an indication of how unique the activity is amongst all occupations. The maximum rating is 100. High scores indicate that only a small number of occupations engage in that activity.

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Tools and Technologies that Both Occupations Have in Common

Similarity of Focus
Occupation to Associated
Occupation: n/a

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Tools and Technologies	Exclusivity
Tools and technology data is unavailable for one or both occupations.	

Not all positions in these occupations will necessarily use all of the listed tools and technologies. The exclusivity rating is an indication of how unique the tool or technology is amongst all occupations. The maximum rating is 100. High scores indicate that only a small number of occupations use that tool or technology.

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